hazardous wastes and are listed at Sl. No. 31 of Schedule 1 of these Rules. Further, as per the provisions of these Rules; Electrical, and Electronics Assemblies are covered under Category B-1110 in Schedule 3 thereunder which are applicable for import and export of hazardous wastes. Also the import of wastes under this category are only permitted for direct reuse and not for recycling or final disposal. The CPCB has undertaken a study for the preparation of a Guideline. Document for Environmentally Sound recycling of E-waste, for use by the State Pollution Control Boards and Pollution Control Committee of the Union Territories and the concerned Industrial units.

Task force on climate change

2794. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under consideration of Government to set up a high level task force to deal with emerging climate change scenario;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the major issues on which the task force is proposed to work; and

(d) the expenditure likely to be incurred there on during the Eleventh Five Year Plan period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) The Government is in the process of forming an Expert Committee to study the impacts of climate change and to identify measures that we may have to take in the future.

Conservation of Wetlands

2795. SHRI B.J. PANDA:
MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to include Daha, Kuanria and Kanjia in Orissa State under the National Wetland Conservation Programme;

(b) if so, the details thereof;